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SUBJECT: HUNGARIAN VISA DENIAL TO RABBI YESHAYE EICHENSTEIN

- 1. INTEREST REP. RICHMOND. CONGRESSMAN RICHMOND'S OFFICE HAS INFORMED US THAT RABBI YESHAYE EICHENSTEIN,USC, AGE 35, BORN CZECHOSLOVAKIA, WAS REFUSED TOURIST VISA IN VIENNA JULY 27. RABBI EICHENSTEIN DESIRES TO TRAVEL TO BUDAPEST BY AIR THE MORNING OF JULY 30 AND WILL MEET A GROUP OF SATMAR RABBI S COMING FROM NEW YORK. THIS GROUP HAS VISAS. THE ENTIRE GROUP PLANS TO VISIT THE TOMB OF THEIR FOUNDER AT SATORALJAUJHELY.
- 2. WE HAVE DISCUSSED THIS MATTER WITH HUNGARIAN CHARGE WHO HAS SENT CABLE TO MFA URGING ISSUANCE OF VISA AT FERIHEGY. GIVEN WEEKEND TIMING WE ASK YOU TO SUPPORT THIS VISA REQUEST WITH MFA.
- 3. YOU SHOULD PASS ANY DECISION ON VISA ISSUANCE TO RABBI EICHENSTEIN AT VIENNA TELEPHONE 262180. YOU MAY WISH TO CONTACT HIM FOR DETAILS OF VISA DENIAL. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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4. PLEASE ADVISE US OF OUTCOME BY IMMEDIATE ATTENTIONEUR/EE. VANCE

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